1914, ch. 521, sec. 2.

241. The proceeds of the sale of the bonds hereby authorized to be issued shall be applied to the purchase of the necessary ground and the crection thereon of a Water and Electric Light and Power Plant and its complete equipment and maintenance, for storing and supplying water for fire protection and municipal and private purposes and for lighting the public streets, lanes, alleys and public buildings of said town of Mount Airy and furnishing water, light, power and heat to the citizens of said town, but nothing in this Act shall be construed as authorizing said Mayor and Council of Mount Airy to furnish water, light, heat or power for private uses unless it can be done at a reasonable profit.*

WATER.†

1924, ch. 126, sec. 1.

The Mayor and Council of Mt. Airy is hereby authorized, em-242. powered and directed to build and construct extensions and alterations to its water supply system for the town of Mt. Airy in Carroll and Frederick Counties, State of Maryland, to be constructed within and outside of said town, and to run and operate the same for municipal and commercial purposes; and for the purposes of this Act to acquire, by purchase or condemnation, whatever property or rights-of-way within or outside of the corporate limits of said town of Mt. Airy it may deem necessary and proper; and for doing whatever work and employing whatever help is necessary therefor; the said Mayor and Council of Mt. Airy are authorized, empowered and directed to borrow on the faith and credit of said town, not to exceed in the aggregate, the sum of fifteen thousand dollars, and to issue bonds therefor to be known as the "Mt. Airy Water Bonds," said bonds to be signed by the Mayor and countersigned by the Clerk to the Mayor and Council of Mt. Airy, with the corporate seal of said town affixed thereto.

1924, ch. 126, sec. 2.

243. Whenever it shall be deemed necessary by the Mayor and Council of Mt. Airy to take or acquire any land, structures or buildings, or any stream bed, water way, water rights or water shed, either in fee or as an easement, within or without the town of Mt. Airy, for the construction, extension or maintenance of any water main or appurtenance thereof, or for any reservoir, water purification plant, tank or pumping station, the Mayor and Council may purchase the same from the owners, or failing to agree with the owner or owners thereof, may condemn the same by proceedings in the Circuit Court for Carroll or Frederick County as now provided for condemnation of land by public service corporations in the

^{*}Sec. 3, ch. 521, 1914, authorized the levying of taxes to pay the interest on and to redeem said bonds. The Act was approved by the voters as provided by sections 4 and 5.

 $[\]dagger$ See chs. 449, 1918; 171, 1920, and 93, 1929, for other loans authorized for water supply and paving.